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NOW THAT THE "16 CANCER CASE" STUDY HAS SURFACED THE WORST
THING WE CAN DO IS TO APPEAR FURTIVE. MY REASON FOR SEEKING
KEEP IT QUIET FOR AWHILE WAS TO GAIN TIME FOR STUDIES WHICH MIGHT
ALLAY ANXIETIES OR AT LEAST REDUCE THE UNKNOWNS. I THINK THAT
WE SHOULD BE AS RELAXED AS POSSIBLE ABOUT THE STORY WHILE EXPRESSING
REGRET THAT NEW ANXIETIES WILL BE GENERATED. IN THIS CONNECTION
IT MIGHT BE WELL TO DEFER TO POSSIBILITY OF EARLIER RESULTS. BUT
I WOULD NOT WANT TO MAKE SUCH A REFERENCE IF SO DOING WOULD SUGGEST
AN AIR OF NEW, URGENT CONCERN.
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